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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Group Art Unit: 1722

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Examiner: G. Rao

Serial No.: 10/512,077

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Filed: December 9, 2004

For: METHOD OF ALTERING THE PROPERTIES OF A THIN FILM AND
SUBSTRATE IMPLEMENTING SAID METHOD

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 23, 2007,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.